# Ready for School. Set for Life.

Partnering with parents and families to help all children stay healthy and succeed in school.



#### Parent Guide to First Things First Funded Programs in Central Maricopa

#### **Contact**

# Are you a parent or caregiver looking for resources and support? Home Visitation

Gives young children stronger, more supportive relationships with their parents through in-home services on a variety of topics, including parenting skills, early childhood development, literacy, etc. Connects parents with community resources to help them better support their child's health and early learning.

My Child's Ready 480-304-9440

#### **Family Resource Centers**

Strengthens families of young children by providing locally-based information and instruction on health and child development issues.

**Chandler Christian Community Center** 

480-963-1423

**Chandler CARE Center** 

480-812-7900

Thrive to Five, Tempe Community Council Commitment to Schools in Tempe/Kyrene

480-858-2306

#### **Parent Education Community-Based Training**

Strengthens families with young children by providing voluntary classes in community-based settings.

Arizona's Children Association New Directions Institute 602-371-1366 ext. 2224

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## Do you have parenting questions, or need advice?

Birth to Five Helpline

Helps families with young children get free answers to their toughest parenting questions.

**Southwest Human Development** 

1-877-705-KIDS (5437)

### Do you want information about your child's physical or oral health?

**Oral Health** 

Decreases preventable oral health problems in young children

**Chandler Regional Medical Center** 

Dignity Health 480-728-3813

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#### **Health Insurance Enrollment**

Increases children's access to preventive health care and builds community awareness of the availability of public health insurance options.

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#### Do you need to keep you or your child safe and well?

**Food Security** 

Improves the health and nutrition of children 5 and younger and their families.

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**Tempe Community Action Agency** 

480-350-5893

Do you need to find quality child care for your infant, toddler or preschooler?

**Child Care and Pre-K Scholarships** 

Provides scholarships to children to attend quality early care and education programs.

Valley of the Sun United Way

1-866-973-0012

www.azftfscholarships.org

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